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SUBJECT: SAUDIA FLEET EXPANSION

REF: ROME 19783

SAUDIA SOURCES TELL US THAT PROPOSAL WILL BE MADE TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING DECEMBER 10, TO RETIRE FOUR PLANES OF EXISTING FLEET AND REPLACE THEM WITH THREE NEW LOCKHEED TRISTARS AS REPORTED REFTEL. PLANES TO BE RETIRED WOULD BE TWO REMAINING BOEING 720'S AND TWO CONFIDENTIAL

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OLDEST 707'S. LOCKHEED HAS MADE AVAILABLE, FOR SHORT PERIOD, DELIVERY OPTIONS FOR THREE PLANES IN 1979, SO SAUDIA BOARD WILL NEED TO TAKE RAPID ACTION. WE WILL REPORT FURTHER AFTER BOARD ACTION. WEST

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